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3. Copy of documents previously filed on October 23, 2002 in response to the September 24, 2002 Office Action (2 pages)
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Steven Elliott Connor

Appln. No.: 09/536,658

Filed: June 18, 2001

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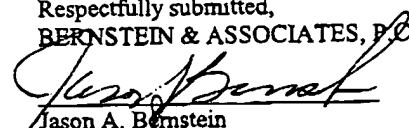
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1. Response to Restriction Requirement

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 17, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 02-2138. Thank you very much.

Respectfully submitted,
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